

MOLINE'S SECTION OF THE ARGUS

MISS JONES WILL DIRECT CAMPAIGN

Business Woman to Have Charge of Canvass for Funds to Be Used as Payment on Building Site.

COMMITTEE HOLDS A MEETING

Report is Made of Contributions to Date—Office Headquarters Will Be Established.

General discussion of matters pertaining to the purchase of the building site, recently made, and of ways and means of raising the money for the same, featured a meeting of the women's building committee yesterday afternoon in the library building. Twenty members were present.

Report was made of the sum in hand and of the \$100 from Pier & Co. It was decided that a financial secretary be employed to raise the necessary funds before the first of the year, since most of the women interested have not the time to devote to systematic canvass of the city. The financial secretary will have the moral support and encouragement of all the workers.

Wanted Moline Woman.

Miss Eldorado Jones was chosen by the committee, as an aggressive, up-to-date business woman, as the consensus of opinion was against employing out-of-town help. Miss Jones will devote her time to the campaign at least until Jan. 1. Office headquarters will be at the office of Miss Jones, 414 Sixteenth street. Telephone number is 1463.

MOLINE PERSONAL

Miss Ruth Lowe departed last evening for a western trip and she will spend the month of August at the home of her uncle, Charles Whaley, at Chelan, Wash. Miss Lowe will also visit in Seattle and other points before returning home.

Mrs. Robert Sackville has returned home after a week's visit with relatives at Coal Valley.

Miss Helga Graner, violinist, Miss Edith Peterson, pianist, and Miss Ruth Carlsson, pianist, left this afternoon for Ophim, Ill., where they will give a concert this evening in one of the churches. While in Ophim they will visit relatives.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Aehiel Van Thorpe, 514 Seventeenth avenue, yesterday at the Maternity hospital, a daughter. The new arrival has a 2-year-old sister, Lorraine, to welcome her.

Mrs. Thomas Groom and small son, and her sister, Mrs. Roy Dick of Silvis have returned from a visit at their parental home in Reno, Okla. They were accompanied by the return home by Miss Pearl Dick.

Mrs. Thomas Wanless and daughter Constance of Silvis left last night for Rochester, Minn., where Miss Constance will undergo an examination at the Mayo Brothers' clinic.

Gust Lindholm and Edward Lofgren have left for a two-week trip to visit with relatives at Omaha.

CELEBRATE OPENING OF IMPROVED ROAD

Danville, Ill., July 20.—The first division of Vermillion county's hard roads to be completed in a system of 176 miles, costing \$1,500,000, was the occasion for a big celebration today. Governor Duane, Governor Tamm, father of good roads in Illinois, are to be among the speakers who are scheduled to arrive from Springfield at 1 o'clock this afternoon. Following a hasty luncheon at the Elks club here, the governor and party will be escorted by hundreds of motorists to Bismark, 10 miles north of this city, where 10,000 people are gathering to celebrate the event.

Noted Professor Dead.

Baltimore, Md., July 20.—Dr. William Simon, professor of chemistry at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, and an adept in autographic photography, died yesterday at his home, Pa. Death was due to a complication of diseases. Dr. Simon once photographed a rainbow, probably the only one ever taken. He was born in Germany in 1844.

No One Claims Body.

Body of the man found dead Monday morning in a Second avenue rooming house, who lived here under the name of Frank Stout, but who was, according to verdict of the coroner's jury, Meriden White of Monticello, was buried today. Relatives of the man failed to answer telegrams sent them by local authorities.

Moline Society

PARTY ON NINTH BIRTHDAY.

Miss Marion Barnes of Forty-third street and Tenth avenue was a small hostess of yesterday and entertained a company of friends in celebration of her ninth birthday anniversary. Games featured the afternoon, and later covers were laid for 15 at a prettily decorated table set under the large oak trees.

SOCIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Dorcas Lutheran Hospital circle will hold its meeting tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Henry Nelson, 1146 Fourteenth avenue.

HOSTESS ON FOURTH BIRTHDAY.

Little Romona Stee of Silvis celebrated her fourth birthday anniversary yesterday and invited a company of small girls and boys to assist her when she entertained them in her home. Games were enjoyed and ice cream and cake were served.

During the afternoon Little Marian Crawford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Crawford, fell from the hammock and injured her head badly, when she was cut near the temple. A doctor had to be called to dress the cut.

PLEASURE AND PROFIT CLUB ENTERTAINED.

Regular meeting of the Pleasure and Profit club was held yesterday with Mrs. Victor Nitzel, Thirty-second street and Twenty-fourth avenue, when nine members attended. After the business session the guests toyed with fanwork and enjoyed themselves as much as the extreme heat would let them. The hostess serving a very appetizing luncheon as a climax. It was arranged to meet in two weeks with Mrs. Seaman Dexter, Thirty-second street and Twenty-fifth avenue.

SILVIS

Monday afternoon Mrs. L. M. Thompson entertained a number of ladies at an aluminum demonstration. The proceeds were for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid society of the Memorial Methodist church. Cake and ice cream was served and each one present was presented with an aluminum article.

Friday afternoon the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brady was the scene of a children's party in honor of their little daughter, Virginia's birthday anniversary. The home was brightened with garden flowers for the occasion. After some hours spent in contests and out door games a nice luncheon was served on the lawn. The young hostess received a large array of beautiful and useful gifts as tokens of esteem from the guests.

E. Schwab has arrived home from a brief visit at Muscatine.

Benjamin Haddick and mother, M. S. F. J. Haddick have arrived home from Vermillion, S. D., where they visited relatives. The trip was made by auto.

Milton Rhodes and parents are spending the summer at Georgia.

Miss Ruth Griffin was married at Rock Island to James W. Ball Saturday. The bride was attired in a traveling suit of gray silk. After the wedding ceremony they returned to Silvis where a wedding supper was served by the bride's mother and a large company. After congratulations they departed for Chicago, Denver and Montana for their wedding journey. Both are well and favorably known in Silvis where both have resided for some time. Upon their return they will reside in Silvis.

The Misses Lillian Hutchinson and Mildred Stauderwick of Albion, Neb., returned home last week after visiting Mrs. Lea Snyder here for several weeks.

Wallace Murray of Manley, Iowa, arrived in Silvis Saturday and accompanied his wife and children home, they having spent the past three weeks here with Mrs. Murray's mother.

The annual reception to the members of the Memorial Methodist church was held in the church parlors Wednesday evening.

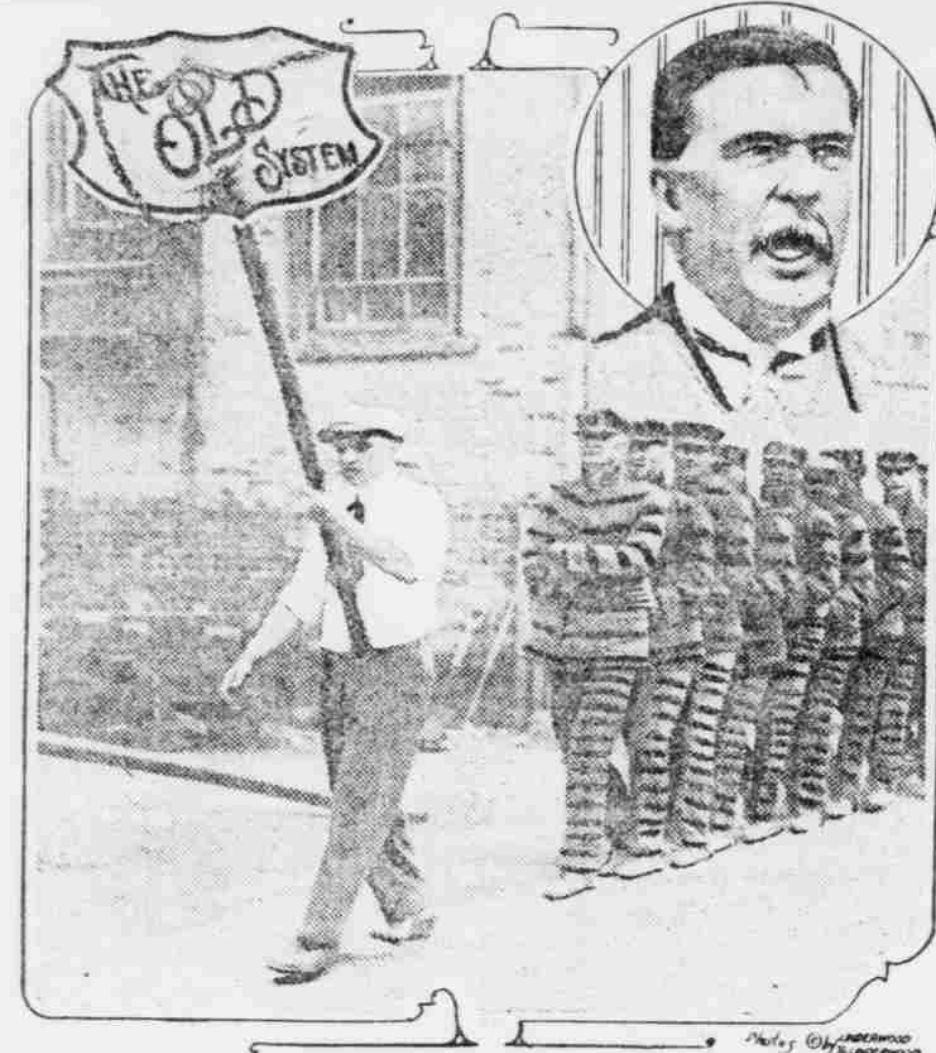
Mrs. Mitchell is visiting relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. Daniel Pope of Moline has moved into D. L. Earley's residence. Mrs. Carl Nelson has been ill.

Henry Johnson and family arrived home from a trip to Burlington, Iowa. The trip was made by boat.

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Leona Schenck of Fifth street were held at 8 o'clock Monday morning from the East Moline undertaking parlors. The deceased passed suddenly of heart disease and leaves to mourn her untimely end the husband and two children.

CONVICTS GIVE WARDEN OSBORNE WARM WELCOME ON HIS RETURN TO SING SING



Part of the prison procession representing former prison regimes; Warden Osborne addressing convicts.

Thomas Mott Osborne, humanitarian warden of Sing Sing prison, was given an enthusiastic welcome by the prisoners of the New York penal institution on his return there a few days ago, after several months' absence, caused by the filing of baseless charges against him. The principal feature of the day's exercises was a monster pageant in which nearly all the inmates of the prison took part. In this pageant the convicts sought to bring out the contrast between the old prison system, and the system which Osborne has instituted.

DONS WHISKERS IN SLEUTH'S ROLE

Oregon Farmer Takes on Guise and Goes Out to Do a Little Detecting—After City Slicker.

Aurora, Ill., July 20.—James Cummings, a retired Oregon farmer, came to Aurora yesterday to catch "Loppy" Boyington, a confidence man who several months ago swindled him out of \$5,000 on a fake horse race at Gary. Before he got off the train Cummings went into the washroom and put on false whiskers. It was 9:30 in the shade, and he perspired profusely.

With the hair brushlike whiskers standing straight out from his chin the farmer paraded up and down the streets peering into the face of every person he met. Women snickered, boys laughed, and the men stopped and gawked.

Then some one called police headquarters and the farmer was taken to headquarters, where he took a false whisker and told his story. "I own a big farm out near Oregon," he said, "and have been living in town. One day last fall a man who said his name was Martin was introduced to me by a saloonkeeper named Piddow at Oregon. Martin said he was private secretary to Colonel James Palmer of Hammond, Ind. He said he had been sent to Oregon to buy a farm."

"Martin told me that Palmer had a wayward son, and he wanted to get him into the country. He went out and looked at my farm, and then told me he would pay \$175 an acre for it. I left with him for Oregon and the next morning to close the deal."

"We did not stop at Hammond, but went on to Gary. He took me to a hotel. A well dressed man, wearing gold rimmed spectacles, soon came. He said he was sorry, but Colonel Palmer got three of us and went to Chicago."

"Then Martin and the other man got talking about a horse race. Said they could make a lot of money. They each pulled out a roll of bills and asked me if I wanted to buy in \$5,000. I told them I could write a check and they gave me a bill. We went around the town and then came back."

"The telephone rang and Martin answered. Then he jumped up and yelled, 'We win \$15,000 a piece.' Then he told me I would have to have cash or I couldn't get my share. I took the check to the bank and had them telephoned him at Oregon. Then I got the money and took it back to Martin. He left to go to the race horse track to get what we won and I haven't seen him since. But I'm on his trail."

MANY ENTRIES FOR Y TENNIS TOURNAMENT

All entries for the Y. M. C. A. tennis tournaments must be in by noon Saturday, according to an announcement by Physical Director Holdeman. Thirty-two contestants will start in both doubles and singles, it is believed. Those who had entered up to noon today were Harry Ainsworth, George Wilson, Winifred Holmgren, A. Myers, Harry Goar, Kenneth Conroy, Arnold Cornelius, Al McCurdy, E. E. Holdeman, Charles Julian, Chalmers Seymour, J. E. Pennybacker, Herman Nelson and Louis Hunter. Several younger boys have also entered for the competitions to be staged on the boys' courts, west of the building.

Five rounds will be played in both doubles and singles in settling supremacy. First two may be played on any courts on which the rival contestants agree, only stipulation being that results must be phoned to the association as soon as games are finished. Third, fourth and fifth rounds will be on the association courts. In each round the winner must win two of three sets played. Moline, East Moline and Augustana college players are eligible to enter.

SOME BIG DOINGS FOR ELKS SUNDAY

Local Bills Will Hold Their Annual Frolic—Steamer Is Chartered for Trip on the Mississippi.

DESIGNATION KEPT A SECRET

Baseball, Music and Fish Dinner Are Only Few of the Features of Day's Program—Leave at 8:30.

These hot and sultry days find Elks of Moline often scanning the calendar and wishing for a hasty approach of next Sunday, for Sunday is the time set for the annual outdoor frolic of the local Elks. It promises of proving "some" frolic. The army of fish eaters will board the good ship Marquette at 8:30 Sunday morning, the loading station being at the foot of Eighteenth street. If the water wagon doesn't sink with its cargo of human freight and cuisine equipment, designation which is "somewhere along the Mississippi" will be reached before noon.

Buffet lunch, accessible to all, will be available on the boat on the going away trip and at noon one of those famous fish dinners will be served. Always a big feature of the outing. There will be music furnished both on the boat and on the grounds, and unless it can be prevented some one is liable to spill some oratory. Entertainment will be lavish, and members of the committee in charge are keeping the program a secret. A baseball game between the Elks and the Elks is scheduled for the afternoon, and if Cope knocks the chip off Jute Edlund's shoulder the married men and single men are likely to clash on the diamond.

Bill Is Jubilant.

Bill Kennedy has been bubbling over with joy for several weeks in anticipation of the picnic, and leave it to Bill to have a lot of new stuff to spring on the gang.

It is optional whether the members shall wear white duck suits or not. Many have already registered for the outing, but those who have not may come without formality. The price this year has been reduced to \$1, but the entertainment, it is said, will be better than ever.

LAMB TAKES ACTION TO RECOVER HIS CAR

Charged with refusing to return an automobile to its owner, Walter Lamb, 745 1/2 Fourteenth street, was arrested by Moline police this morning on complaint of Henry Fugate. His case was continued until tomorrow afternoon.

According to Fugate's story, the machine was left with Lamb to be repaired. After the work was done, Lamb refused to return it and used it for joy-riding, Fugate says.

The defendant contends that he held the car in lieu of payment of the repair bill, and that he used it only to look for its owner in order to collect the bill.

ORDERS TO ARRANGE FOR ANNUAL SERVICE

Representatives of four of Moline's great fraternal orders—the Odd Fellows, Red Men, Knights of Pythias and Vikings—last evening formed a joint confederation, purpose of which is to make arrangements which will be mutually agreeable in regard to memorial services which are held annually in respect to the memory of those who have gone on before. A committee of four, one from each of the orders, was appointed, to have charge of the ensuing year. Those named were A. E. Lundeen, Odd Fellows; Eric Delene, Red Men; Knutes of Pythias and Vikings.

Mrs. Rose La Rue of Rock Falls arrived for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Robert Pearsall Friday.

Chauncey McConnell, who was badly hurt when his car upset is getting along nicely and he is able now to be up a short time each day.

Rev. and Mrs. Carnell were at Thompson Tuesday to visit a sick friend.

Miss Minnie Fillmer has returned home from Erie, where she has been visiting relatives for a week.

Mrs. Peter Mahlstedt entertained 14 little guests at a surprise party for her daughter Lucy at their home Saturday afternoon. A fine time was enjoyed by all. The hostess served a nice luncheon before the guests returned to their homes.

ZUMA

Church services will be held at Rose Hill Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school will be at 10. Rev. Mr. Walker will preach.

Rev. Mr. Dunlevy will preach at Barstow at 3 o'clock and at Zuma Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. and Mr. Edgar Walthers called on Zuma friends Sunday.

Mrs. Sadie Anthony of Moline is spending a few days with relatives.

D. W. Mumma was a caller in Osborn.

Mrs. Blanche Beal and children departed for Postoria, Ohio, Wednesday, where they will visit relatives. Fostoria being her old home before coming west.

Nona Keely is visiting Hazel Cox for a few days.

Lola Spaid visited Verna Mumma Thursday.

Hazel Cox is home from Moline for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Searl welcomed a little son Friday.

William Mumma and granddaughters, who have been visiting Henry Mumma and son, have returned to Moline, where they will visit relatives before returning to Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shaver of Pueblo, Col., are visiting friends and relatives here.

BANQUET CLOSES GARDEN CONTEST

Boys Who Carried Off Honors as Agriculturalists Will Be Awarded Cash Prizes This Evening.

TO BE PERMANENT FEATURE

Success of Undertaking Is Unquestionable and a Similar Move Will Be Started Next Year.

The awarding of cash prizes this evening will bring to a close Moline's first municipal garden contest, participated in by more than 100 boys of the city. Awarding of prizes will follow a banquet to be held in the Y. M. C. A. Speeches will be made and plans formulated for next year.

A popular subscription, taken by backers of the movement during the last week, has resulted in securing more than \$50 which will be awarded in prizes, the highest to be \$10. Several disinterested judges have inspected the gardens and given each boy a number of grade points which will be made the basis for awards. Dr. W. E. Taylor will present the prizes.

Announce Speakers.

Speakers of the evening will be p. C. Simmon, Dr. W. E. Taylor, F. Wharton, Julius Staack, W. E. Wilson and Winifred Holmgren. Mr. Simmon will be toastmaster.

Success of the garden contest, which was an innovation this year, has assured its becoming a permanent feature here. The work was started under direction of the Y. M. C. A., acting in cooperation with the Commercial club and a number of other civic organizations. Its primary object was to instill a love of the soil into boys and to at the same time give them occupation for the summer.

Dr. Atwood said he left Miss Adams about 11 o'clock Monday night at the Park street subway station and that he first learned the next morning that she had been found unconscious in her office. It was said today by the police that she regained consciousness for a moment and made several attempts to speak to a physician who asked her if she had taken poison. She did not reply but nodded her head.

Dr. Atwood is in jail on a charge of intent to kill.

GREEK SOLDIERS ORDERED PUNISHED

Saloniki, July 20.—A royal decree was published here today retiring the Greek army officers who were implicated in the wrecking of the offices of the newspaper Rizoastis and the mortal wounding of its editor. The private soldiers involved will be court martialled.

A Paris dispatch dated July 3, stated that 11 Greek army officers had been arrested by the French military authorities at Saloniki following the attack. The Rizoastis was said to have printed articles reflecting on the Greek army in connection with the surrender of Greek fortresses to the Bulgarians.

ELBERT VEALE JOINS PLOW COMPANY BAND

The Moline Plow Company band has secured the services of Elbert Veale, cornet soloist, a graduate of the Boston conservatory of music, and also a former pupil of Professor Weldon of Chicago. Mr. Veale has just returned from the west, where he filled a six months' engagement as solo cornetist with the Exposition band at the world's fair in San Francisco.

A series of concerts has been planned.

MAJORITIES LARGER THAN WAS REPORTED

Official canvass of the vote cast in Tuesday's election shows larger majorities in favor of the 3-mill park tax and against the Browning field bond issue. Vote on the park tax was 711 for, and 476 against, a majority of 132 instead of 87 as shown by unofficial returns. The Browning field bond issue proposal was defeated by a majority of 73, instead of 44, vote for the issue being 669 and against it, 732.

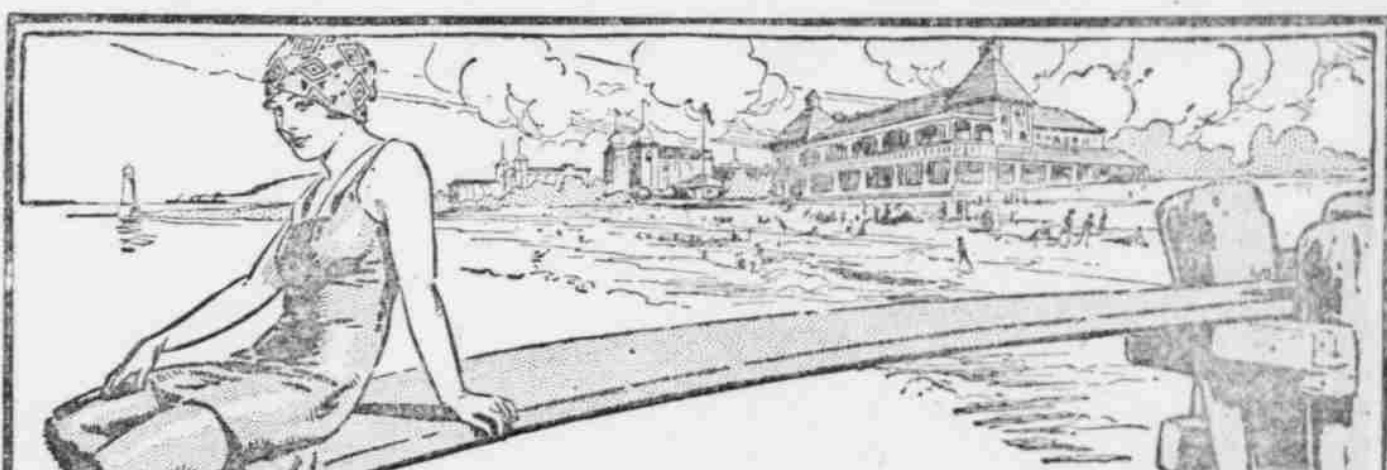
COL. FOREMAN DENIES ILLNESS IN CAVALRY

Chicago, June 20.—Judge Kenesaw M. Landis yesterday received the following telegram from Colonel Milton J. Foreman of the First Illinois cavalry at Brownsville relating to the health of the men in his command:

"No sickness exists for which the camp or service or climate is responsible. There are only five cases of which men are unfit for duty, all of which were contracted before coming here. In health and contentment the men of the First Illinois cavalry far exceed any similar number of men in Chicago. The medical officers agree with the foregoing."

Medical Officers Orr, Gay and Blatt of the First Illinois cavalry wire as follows:

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